



**Major General
Michael R. Eyre
Commanding General**
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Gulf Region Division, Baghdad, Iraq



Major General Michael R. Eyre assumed Command of Gulf Region Division on 9 October, 2008. MG Eyre's previous assignment was as the Commander of the 416th Theater Engineer Command from 2005 to 2008. Prior to this assignment, MG Eyre served as the Deputy Commander of the 99th Regional Readiness Command in Coraopolis, Pennsylvania.

MG Eyre began his military career in May 1977 as a second lieutenant. He was commissioned from the Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University of Vermont. He served on Active Duty from 1977 through 1981, attending the Engineer Officer Basic Course at Fort Belvoir, Va., and then serving as a Platoon Leader and the Executive Officer, Company C, 23rd Engineer Battalion, 3rd Armored Division, in Hanau, Germany, and then as a Plans and Projects Officer with the U.S. Army Facilities Engineering Support Agency at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia.

He was assigned to the Army Reserve in 1982 with the 98th Division (Training), serving as a Training and Testing Officer in the Division G-3. In January 1985, MG Eyre assumed command of Company E, 2nd Battalion, 391st Regiment, 2nd Brigade, 98th Division (Training). He served as Commander of Company C, 2nd Battalion, 391st Regiment, 2nd Brigade; Assistant Operations Officer, 98th Division (Training); and Executive Officer of the 4th Battalion, 392nd Regiment, 3rd Brigade (Engineer One Station Unit Training), 98th Division (Training) in Liverpool, N.Y.

In 1993, MG Eyre assumed command of the 4th Battalion, 392nd Regiment, 3rd Brigade (Engineer One Station Unit Training), 98th Division (Training). He served as Executive Officer of the 7th Brigade (Training Support) from 1995 through 1997, and as Commander of the 2nd Brigade (Engineer OSUT) from 1997 through 2000 in Buffalo, N.Y. Before becoming Deputy Commander of the 99th Regional Support Command, MG Eyre served as Assistant Division Commander-Support, 98th Division (Institutional Training) in Rochester, N.Y.

MG Eyre is a graduate of the Engineer Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Army War College. He holds a BS in Manufacturing and Management Engineering from the University of Vermont, and a MS in Packaging Science from the Rochester Institute of Technology in New York.

He was born in Syracuse, NY and is married with three children.